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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR EFFICIENT SHARING OF A DMA RESOURCE

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X 22 Pages of Specification including an Abstract

X 5 Pages of Claims (Claims 1 - 18)

 \underline{X} 4 Sheet(s) of formal drawings

X A Declaration and Power of Attorney

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